PROCEEDINGS
OF
THE TRAVANCORE SRI MULAM ASSEMBLY.

(OFFICIAL REPORT)

SECOND ASSEMBLY.

FOURTH SESSION.

Tuesday the 14th February 1939/2nd Kumbhom 1114.

The Assembly met at the Legislative Chamber on the 14th February 1939/2nd Kumbhom 1114 at 11'o clock with the President, Sachivottama Sir C. P. Ramaswami Aiyar K. C. I. E., in the chair.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS.

Central cross road in the Alwaye P. W. D. Division.

62. *MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN (*Kunnatnad* cum *Parur*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the number of working sections into which the central cross road in the Alwaye P. W. D. Division, is divided ; and

(*b*) the sections of the said road, the construction of which has been completed and the sections, the construction of which has not yet been completed ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer*) : (*a*) Five Sections.

(*b*) The first section has been completed and the fifth section is in progress. The work was commenced from both ends as there were interested parties for opening the same. The third section is proposed to be taken up next for which the land acquisition proceedings are in progress. The fourth section will be taken up after the lands are acquired.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN: ക്രാസ് റോഡ് എന്ന പറയുന്നത് ഏതുമുതൽ ഏതുവരെ യാണ്?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT: I am afraid I am not in a position to give the answer now. But the work may cost about Rs. 1,400 for completing that section.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN: ഏ. സി. റോഡിൽ മൂവാറ്റുപുഴ റോഡിന്റെ ആറാമത്തെ മൈൽക്കുറ്റിക്ക് അടുത്താണ് ഈ ക്രാസ റോഡ് എന്നുള്ളത് അറിയാമോ?

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MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT: I think if we open the road it will give convenience for traffic.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN: ഈ രണ്ടുമൈൽ ദൂരമുള്ള കയ്യറാം ഒഴിച്ചാൽ എം. സി. റോഡിൽ സഞ്ചാര സൌകര്യം വളരെ വർദ്ധിക്കുമെന്നുള്ള വിവരം അറിയാമോ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT: Yes, I have already stated in the answer that the work will begin in the fourth Section after the lands are acquired.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN: അതിലേക്കുവേണ്ട സ്ഥലം പൊന്നുംവിലകൂടാതെ വിട്ടുതരാമെന്ന് അവിടത്തെ ജനങ്ങൾ അപേക്ഷിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT: Yes.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN: പൊന്നുംവിലകൂടാതെ റോഡിനുവേണ്ട സ്ഥലം ലഭിക്കുമെങ്കിൽ അത് റോഡുണ്ടാക്കുന്നതിന് വളരെ സൌകര്യപ്രദമാണെന്നു വിചാരിക്കുന്നില്ലേ?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT: Certainly.

Appointments and promotions i the Land Revenue Department.

63. ✻ MR. S. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Quilon* cum *Kottarakara*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether there is a G. O. fixing the proportion of graduates and undergraduates in regard to appointments and promotions in the Land Revenue Department, since the standardisation scheme was put into effect, and, if so the provisions thereof;

(*b*) whether the principle of the G. O. is being strictly adhered to in all appointments, acting, permanent and temporary; and

(*c*) if the answer to (*b*) is in the negative, the reasons for the departure from the rule together with the cases in which such deviation has been made?

MR. M. RAMACHANDRA RAO (*Land Revenue and Income Tax Commissioner*): (*a*) Yes. *Extract of G. O. R. O. C. No. 680/35/1/Gl. dated 16-4-35 on the subject is laid on the table. (*b*) & (*c*) Yes, in the matter of permanent promotions to the grade of Rs. 25-40 and above up to Rs. 100-125. In temporary and acting vacancies of less than 3 months duration, the proportion is not generally maintained with a view to avoid dislocation of work.

Nadar Christians in the Account Office.

64. ✻MR. D. FRANCIS (*Kalkulam* cum *Vilavankod*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table:

(*a*) a list of Catholic, Hindu and Protestant Nadars who have been appointed both permanent and acting from 1-1-1100 to 1-1-1114 in the Account Office with their names, pay and date of appointment; and

(*b*) promotion, if any, given to them during the past 14 years nd the increase of pay given to them with their names and date of promotion?

* *Vide* Appendix I.

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